

**City of Hebron Estates Minutes**

**City Community Center**

**July 1, 2014**

**7:00 p.m.**

**Present:** Mayor Clark, Commissioners Forshee, Tucker, Merrifield, Clerk Picheo, Atty. Edison, Chief Reynolds, Magst. Laswell, Pioneer News Representative and 5 guests.

**Minutes:** Motion to approve June 3, 2014 minutes with was made by Comm. Tucker and seconded by Comm. Forshee; Passed 3/0.

**Budget:** A copy of the monthly budget statement was handed out. Motion was made to pay July's 2014 budgeted bills by Comm. Forshee and seconded by Comm. Tucker; Passed 3/0.

**Chief Reynolds:** The Chief explained that several residents were shocked about the stop sign. He explained that several residents voiced concerns regarding no striping in front of the stop sign. The Chief did explain that he has seen a reduction in speeders. Residents had advised him that they are seeing a reduction too. Chief Reynolds also said that he had not issued any citations but will start. In addition, Chief Reynolds also said that he would follow up on the getting the speed detection sign for the city and run additional radar within the city limits.

**Old Business:** Mayor Clark led a discussion on the new stop signs. Guest spoke up in favor of the sign and in opposition. Council agreed to leave the Stop signs up for another 30 days. Mayor Clark stated that the Stop signs were initially too tall but he had them cut down to normal height.

Comm. Merrifield led a discussion on the street sign "Waterfall" vs. "Water Fall". The council agreed to take a look at the old sign and change if needed.

Clerk Picheo gave an update regarding the tax bills. She explained that a tax sale was conducted and 3 bills were sold.

**New Business:** Comm. Tucker led a discussion on replacing the Mayor's grinder that was used and damaged during the installation of the signs. Motion was made to replace Mayor Clark's grinder by Comm. Tucker and seconded by Comm. Forshee; Passed 3/0.

Comm. Forshee told the council about his <sup>wife</sup> daughter's car that was broken into. Nothing was taken but wanted everyone to be aware.

A guest spoke up and wanted to see if the council had received notices or complaints regarding the blasting for the new road. He explained that he had just installed new tile in his home (off of Willow Way) and since the blasting started his tile had cracked. The Highway group placed a seismograph in his yard however, according the highway department there were no signs of heavy blasting. Atty. Edison advised him to request copies of the reports from the seismograph so he can review.

Another discussion was raised from residents regarding the stop signs. He wanted to be noted that he opposes the stop signs. He also admitted that he had accidentally ran through one of them. He asked the council about speed bumps. Mayor Clark explained that the city cannot legally have speed "bumps" but can have speed humps. The council decided at this time they would keep the stop signs.

Motion to adjourn the meeting at 7:50 pm was made by Comm. Tucker and seconded by Comm. Merrifield; Passed 3/0.

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